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ABSTRACT

This booklet is intended to supply high school counselors in Oregon with information and forms that will aid in helping high school students obtain financial aid for higher education. It is divided into three parts. The first section, "About Student Financial Aid," provides information on how and when to apply and what happens after the application is received. "Grant and Scholarship Programs Administered by the OSSC" (Oregon State Scholarship Commission), discusses grants funded by the state of Oregon, privately and federally funded scholarships administered by the OSCC, searching for scholarships, and using the Internet to find financial aid sources. The third section, "Federal Student Loan Programs," describes the Federal Family Education Loan Program, including Federal Stafford Loans and Federal PLUS loans as well as the Federal Direct Loan Program. Appendixes are: "Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA);" "Title IV Codes of Oregon Colleges and Universities, and Some Schools in Other States"; "Application Information for Student Financial Aid 1999-2000"; "Student Budgets 1998-99"; "Financial Aid Offices--Addresses, Phone and Fax Numbers"; "Reference Books and Pamphlets"; "Ford Scholars Special Recommendation Form"; "Watch Out for Scholarship Scam!"; and "Oregon State Scholarship Commission Home Page." (MKA)

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September 30, 1998	**Post High School Fair** South Medford High School
October 3, 1998 1:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.	**Computer and Electrical Engineering College and Career Day** Mentor Graphics Corporation, Wilsonville
October 23, 1998 College preview 8:00 a.m. Conference 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.	**Oregon University System Fall Counselor Conference** Hilton Hotel, 66 East Sixth Ave, Eugene
October 29, 1998 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.	**Salem Area College Night** Willamette University, Sparks Center
October 31, 1998	**Beyond High School College Fair** Sheldon High School, Eugene
November 2, 1998	**"Getting Started with Financial Aid"** video mailing; video produced by the Oregon Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators (OASFAA)
November 5 and 6, 1998	**Portland National College Fair** Portland Convention Center
December 1, 1998	**OSSC Private Awards Application** mailed
Early December 1998 (date to be announced)	**Oregon Public Broadcast** live broadcast about financial aid
January 1, 1999	First day to mail new **FAFSA**
March 1, 1999	**Deadline for OSSC Private Awards Application** NO EXCEPTIONS
April 28, 1999 2:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.	**Roseburg College Fair** Roseburg High School

The *Financial Aid Handbook for High School Counselors* is produced each year by the Oregon State Scholarship Commission. It is primarily a reference book for high school counselors, but human resource caseworkers and others also use it to help students apply for financial aid at schools of higher education.

Please feel free to copy any page for distribution to students or parents.

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FFELP Student Loans	541/687-7375
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Fax	541/687-7419

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About Student Financial Aid

HOW to apply for financial aid

Use the FAFSA

To apply for federal and state aid, students must fill out the ***Free Application for Federal Student Aid*** or "FAFSA." The FAFSA also is called the free, single, or common form. It is available in paper or electronic format (see web site **www.fafsa.ed.gov**). The FAFSA is the only application used to decide eligibility for federal funds. For a sample of the 1999-2000 FAFSA, see ***Appendix A*** in this handbook.

Title IV codes

In one section of the FAFSA, students write Title IV codes for the colleges they list. Because these codes are not readily available, OSSC has listed some commonly used codes in ***Appendix B*** of this handbook.

Renewal

Students who filed a FAFSA last year will receive a ***Renewal Application*** by late December. The Renewal Application speeds up the reapplication process and reduces errors. It contains the prior year's information for the student to review, correct, and mail to a FAFSA processor. The Renewal Application is printed on white paper, but otherwise looks like the Student Aid Report (described on the next page).

Profile

Some private colleges still use a supplemental form called the ***Financial Aid Profile***, developed by the College Scholarship Service (CSS) to help colleges award campus-based and institutional aid. The Profile is a separate application in addition to the FAFSA, and only colleges listed on the Profile either recommend or require its use. Students are encouraged to contact the college they plan to attend before filling out a Financial Aid Profile.

WHEN to apply for financial aid

January 1

To be considered for financial aid, students must submit either a FAFSA or a Renewal Application **each year**. The FAFSA usually is available in November at high schools and colleges. Students should date and send in the FAFSA **as soon as possible after January 1**. Students who date or send in the FAFSA before January 1 will have to resubmit the FAFSA to be considered for the Federal Pell Grant.

Appendix C of this handbook lists each school's application deadline for campus-based and institutional aid. Students should send the FAFSA to the processor at least four weeks before this date.

What happens after you apply for financial aid

SAR

About four weeks after it receives a FAFSA, the processor sends the student a ***Student Aid Report*** or SAR. This multi-page document specifically tells the student if he or she is eligible for a Federal Pell Grant. It also displays basic information that the student supplied on the FAFSA, which the school will use to determine eligibility for federal financial aid programs.

Review the SAR

The student should check the SAR information for accuracy. If changes are needed, the student should contact his or her first-choice college and ask how to correct the SAR.

- Some colleges submit changes electronically to the federal processor.
- Other colleges may tell the student to write the changes on the SAR, and mail the SAR for reprocessing.

Verification

Often the federal government requires that colleges verify information listed on a FAFSA. If a FAFSA is selected for "verification," the college will ask for copies of the student's and parents' tax returns and other pertinent information. The college may not release federal funds to the student until verification is complete.

Offer of Aid

In addition to the SAR, students receive offers of financial aid from the colleges they listed on the FAFSA. The offers sometimes are called "award letters." A student may need to apply for admission or be accepted, before the school will issue an award letter (see ***Appendix C***). The student must accept or decline the financial aid package offered in the award letter.

Colleges mail award letters at different times. For example, some schools mail the award letter a few weeks after a student files an application; other schools mail award letters in late spring.

The award letter lists the amounts a student is eligible to receive at that college from the following programs:

- the Federal Pell Grant;
- the Oregon Need Grant;.
- federally funded campus-based and loan programs; and
- the college's own financial aid programs.

Grant and Scholarship Programs Administered by OSSC

NOTE: Information about federal programs can be found in ***The Student Guide***, available at no cost from the Federal Student Aid Information Center, 1-800-4-FED-AID (1-800-433-3243), or see web site **www.ed.gov**

Grants funded by the State of Oregon

Need Grant

The Oregon Need Grant program is open to U.S. citizens who are permanent Oregon residents attending an authorized non-profit post-secondary school in Oregon. Recipients must enroll in full-time undergraduate studies. Programs of theology, divinity, or religious education do not qualify. Recipients must show considerable financial need. Grants range from $936 to $1,638, depending on tuition. A student may receive a Need Grant for up to twelve quarters or eight semesters, or until an undergraduate degree is earned, whichever comes first. To apply, a student must fill out the FAFSA each year. The award is renewable if the student completes the FAFSA in a timely manner, continues to show financial need, and keeps making satisfactory academic progress as defined by the college. In 1998-99, OSSC will award approximately $14.5 million to an estimated 15,000 students.

SGSA

The Oregon Legislature created the State Grant Supplemental Award (SGSA) to provide supplemental grants for students who receive Need Grants at private, nonprofit colleges in Oregon. The average award for 1998-99 is approximately $1,100. To apply, students must fill out the FAFSA. The Commission expects to disburse $1.5 million through this program in 1998-99.

B&H

The Barber & Hairdresser (B&H) Grant program is open to U.S. citizens who are permanent Oregon residents attending barber, hair design, cosmetology, or manicure schools located in and licensed by the State of Oregon. Applicants must be full-time students showing financial need. Each one-time award is in the amount of $600. Applicants must fill out a FAFSA. In the 1998-99 academic year, OSSC will award $52,000 to 90 students who are randomly selected from the pool of eligible students.

Disabled Public Safety Officers

Oregon provides a grant for children and stepchildren of Oregon public safety officers killed or severely disabled in the line of duty. Recipients must attend an Oregon non-profit college. Awards equal the sum of tuition and fees at a public college or university. At private colleges, awards are equal to the tuition and fees at the University of Oregon. Awards are renewable if the student continues to show financial need at least equal to tuition and fees at the eligible school. Each year, an applicant must fill out a FAFSA and a separate application, available from the OSSC Grant Department.

Privately and federally funded scholarships administered by OSSC

Private Awards booklet

For all privately funded scholarships administered by OSSC, there is one application booklet called the ***OSSC Private Awards Application***. It includes a list of available scholarships, and brief rules and eligibility requirements for each program.

OSSC sends a supply of the applications to Oregon high schools each December. It is important to use a current application booklet, because each year new scholarships are added, and some from prior years may no longer exist.

How to apply

To apply for one of OSSC's privately funded scholarships, a student should take the following steps:

- Between December and February, obtain an ***OSSC Private Awards Application*** at a high school counseling office or career center, a college financial aid office, or an employer's personnel office. An electronic version is available through the OSSC web site (**www.ossc.state.or.us**).
- If the scholarship is based partly on need, file the FAFSA soon after January 1. (For electronic FAFSA, see **www.fafsa.ed.gov**).
- File the original application, along with all transcripts, essays, and other required documents as stated in the specific scholarship rules. Do **not** submit a photocopy of the application to OSSC.

March 1

The private awards application and all required documents must be postmarked on or before **MARCH 1**. There are **NO EXCEPTIONS** to this deadline.

Ford Scholars Program

Appendix G of this handbook contains a Special Recommendation form for the Ford Scholars program. The purpose of this form is to identify graduating high school seniors with a cumulative grade point average of less than 3.00, but not less than 2.50, who have demonstrated an ability to succeed at college-level work. High school counselors may copy the form. Ford Scholars Special Recommendation applicants must attach the completed form to the ***OSSC Private Awards Application***.

Robert Byrd

Students also use the private awards application to apply for the Federal Robert Byrd Honors Scholarship. The Byrd Scholarship is open to U.S. citizens who are legal Oregon residents in their senior year of high school. Applicants must have a cumulative GPA of 3.85 or above and either a combined SAT score of at least 1250 or an ACT composite of at least 28. GED recipients with a combined score of at least 325 also may apply.

More apps

Schools that need more of OSSC's private awards applications may call the OSSC Grant Department at 541/687-7395 in the Eugene-Springfield calling area, or toll-free 1-800/452-8807, extension 7395.

Donors

OSSC encourages persons or organizations interested in establishing privately funded scholarships to call the OSSC Private Awards Coordinator at 541/687-7386 or toll-free nationwide at 1-800/452-8807, extension 7386. OSSC offers a full range of services to donors, including the following:

- investment of funds through The Oregon Community Foundation or the State Treasurer;
- publicity and distribution of materials;
- ranking of finalists or recipients;
- payment of funds through college financial aid offices;
- review of academic progress;
- annual reporting of fund status.

Donations to OSSC are tax deductible to the full extent allowed by law.

Scholarship search

Buyer beware

The Attorney General of the State of Oregon and the U.S. Federal Trade Commission both have issued warnings and taken action against companies that "guarantee" scholarships to families using for-a-fee scholarship search services. State and federal authorities remind families that using the word "guarantee" in promotional materials is a questionable activity of scholarship search businesses.

For six signs that a scholarship search offer may be a "scam," see information supplied by the Federal Trade Commission in ***Appendix H***.

Use the Internet

Start with OSSC's web site—**www.ossc.state.or.us** (see ***Appendix I***)—and link to many other sites that contain scholarship and other financial aid and college information.

The following page contains a short list of sites on the world wide web that are of interest to college-bound students and their parents.

(This short list of web sites will help you start your search for financial aid.)

Scholarship Commission
http://www.ossc.state.or.us

See printed copy of the home page of the State of Oregon's Scholarship Commission in Appendix I. From the Scholarship Commission's home page, you can link to more information about scholarships and other financial aid.

FastWEB
www.fastweb.com

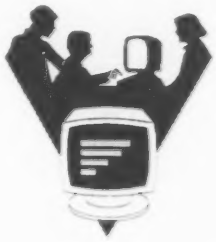
The Internet's largest free scholarship search service. It asks a series of questions and generates a list of scholarships for which you might qualify. From FastWEB, you can link to more information about financial aid.

Financial Aid Information Page
www.finaid.org

A comprehensive source of information about student financial aid, sponsored by the National Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators (NASFAA). From the Financial Aid Information Page, you can link to FastWEB and other free scholarship search services.

U.S. Department of Education
www.ed.gov

The U.S. Department of Education's home page. From here, you can link to information about federal student aid, including the electronic FAFSA, Title IV College Codes, and *The Student Guide to Financial Aid.*



Federal Student Loan Programs

A college's offer of aid or "award letter" often includes low-interest loans. Students and parents decide if they want or need to borrow these amounts—which they must **REPAY**—and fill out forms in addition to the FAFSA before they can receive the loans.

Two of the largest loan programs are the Federal Family Education Loan Program (FFELP) and the William D. Ford Federal Direct Loan Program (FDLP). The U.S. Department of Education (ED) decides if a school is qualified to participate.

Loan terms and limits are nearly the same in FFELP and FDLP, and the federal government insures both programs if students default. However, differences exist:

- Private lending institutions provide funds for FFELP, and guarantee agencies administer the program under an agreement with ED;
- ED oversees FDLP, and provides FDLP funds directly to the schools.

Federal Family Education Loan Program

FFELP

The Federal Family Education Loan Programs (FFELP) include the following:

- Federal Stafford Loans for students; and
- Federal PLUS Loans for parents.

Student loans

Federal Stafford Loans

Annual limits for Federal Stafford Loan base amounts are as follows:

- $2,625 for first-year students;
- $3,500 for second-year students;
- $5,500 for other undergraduates;
- $8,500 for graduate and professional students.

Cumulative loan limits for Federal Stafford Loans are as follows:

- $23,000 for undergraduates;
- $65,500 for graduate and professional students.

Subsidized

Students who qualify on the basis of financial need may receive *subsidized* Federal Stafford Loans. The federal government pays the interest on a *subsidized* loan during the following times:

- while the student is enrolled at least half-time at a federally approved school of higher education; or
- during the six-month grace period after the student leaves school or drops below half-time enrollment; or
- during deferment periods (authorized periods of postponing payment.)

Unsubsidized Unsubsidized Federal Stafford Loans are for students who want to borrow more than they qualify for in a subsidized loan. The student is charged interest from the time the loan is disbursed until the loan is paid in full. While in school, the student can either pay the interest as it accrues (builds up), or ask that the interest be capitalized (added to the principal) at repayment. As with subsidized loans, repayment begins six months after the student leaves school or drops below half-time enrollment.

Independent students or graduate students may borrow even more than dependent, undergraduate students. These amounts are known as "additional" unsubsidized Stafford loans. Cumulative loan limits for all Federal Stafford Loans for independent students are as follows:

- $64,500 for undergraduates;
- $138,500 for graduate or professional students.

Students are reminded, however, that loans must be repaid!

Parent loans

Federal PLUS Loans

Parents, most step-parents, or legal guardians of their dependent undergraduate children may borrow from the Federal PLUS Loan Program. The borrower must be a U.S. citizen or eligible non-citizen, and have a good credit history. The amount of the loan cannot exceed the cost of education at the student's school, minus other financial aid.

Federal Direct Loan Program

FDLP The William D. Ford Federal Direct Loan Program (FDLP) includes subsidized and unsubsidized Federal Direct Stafford Loans and Federal Direct PLUS Loans.

The school that a student attends will tell the student whether the school participates in the FDLP or FFELP (see above) program.

Appendix A

Free Application for Federal Student Aid

Free Application for Federal Student Aid

OMB 1840-0110 **July 1, 1999 — June 30, 2000 school year**

Use this form to apply for federal student grants, work-study money, and loans.

You can also apply over the **internet** at: http://www.fafsa.ed.gov instead of using this paper form. In addition to federal student aid, you may also be eligible for a **Hope** or a **Lifetime Learning** income tax credit, both of which you claim when you file your taxes. For more information on these tax credits, this application, and the U.S. Department of Education's student aid programs, call 1-800-4FED-AID (1-800-433-3243) Monday through Friday between 8:00am and 8:00pm eastern time or look on the internet at http://www.ed.gov/offices/OPE If you are hearing impaired, call TDD 1-800-730-8913.

Your answers on this form will be read by a machine. Therefore,

- use black ink or #2 pencil and fill in ovals completely, like this: ●
- print clearly in CAPITAL letters and skip a box between words: | 1 | 5 | | E | L | M | | S | T |
- report dollar amounts (such as $12,356.00) like this: $ | | 1 | 2 | , | 3 | 5 | 6 | (no cents)
- write numbers less than 10 with a zero (0) first: | 0 | 7 |

Yellow is for students and purple is for parents.

- If you are filing a **1998 income tax return,** we recommend that you fill it out before completing this form. However, you do not need to send your income tax return to the IRS before you fill out this form.
- After you complete this application, make a copy of it. Then **send the original of pages 3 through 6** in the attached envelope or send it to Federal Student Aid Programs, P.O. Box 4008, Mt. Vernon, IL 62864-8608.
- Send in this application—pages 3 through 6—only between **January 1, 1999, and June 30, 2000.**
- You should hear from us within four weeks. If you do not, please call 1-319-337-5665.
- If you or your family has **unusual circumstances** (such as loss of employment or major medical expenses) that might affect your need for student financial aid, check with the financial aid office at the college you plan to attend.
- With this form you may also be able to apply for student **aid from other sources, such as your state or college.** The deadlines for states (see below) or colleges may be as early as January 1999, and you may be required to complete additional forms.

Now go to page 3 and begin filling out this form. Refer to the notes as needed.

Deadline dates for state aid. Generally, state aid comes from your state of legal residence. **Check with your high school guidance counselor** or the financial aid administrator at your college about state and college sources of student financial aid. State deadlines are below.

AZ June 30, 2000 *(date received)*
*^CA March 2, 1999 *(date postmarked)*
DE April 15, 1999 *(date received)*
* DC June 24, 1999 *(date received by state)*
FL May 15, 1999 *(date processed)*
HI March 1, 1999
IL First-time applicants – September 30, 1999
Continuing applicants – May 31, 1999
(date received)
^ IN For priority consideration – March 1, 1999
(date postmarked)
^ IA June 1, 1999 *(date received)*
* KS For priority consideration – April 1, 1999
(date processed)
KY For priority consideration – March 15, 1999
(date received)
^ LA For priority consideration – April 15, 1999
(date postmarked)
ME May 1, 1999 *(date received)*
MD March 1, 1999 *(date postmarked)*
^ MA For priority consideration – May 1, 1999
(date received)
MI High school seniors – February 21, 1999
College students – March 21, 1999
(date received)
MN June 30, 2000 *(date received)*
MO April 1, 1999 *(date received)*
MT For large schools – March 1, 1999.
For small schools – April 1, 1999
NH May 1, 1999 *(date received)*
NJ 1998-99 Tuition Aid Grant Recipients
– June 1, 1999
All other applicants
– October 1, 1999, for fall and spring terms.
– March 1, 2000, for spring term only
(date received)
*^NY May 1, 2000 *(date postmarked)*
NC March 15, 1999 *(date received)*
ND April 15, 1999 *(date processed)*
OH October 1, 1999 *(date received)*
OK April 30, 1999 *(date received)*
OR May 1, 2000 *(date received)*
* PA All 1998-99 State grant recipients
– May 1, 1999
Non-1998-99 State grant recipients in degree programs – May 1, 1999
All other applicants – August 1, 1999
(date received)
PR May 2, 2000 *(date application signed)*
RI March 1, 1999 *(date received)*
SC June 30, 1999 *(date received)*
TN May 1, 1999 *(date processed)*
*^WV March 1, 1999 *(date received)*

Check with your financial aid administrator for these states: AL, AK, *AS, AR, CO, *CT, *FM, GA, *GU, ID, *MP, *MH, MS, *NE, *NV, *NM, *PW, *SD, *TX, UT, *VT, *VI, *VA, WA, WI, and *WY.

* Additional form may be required ^ Applicants encouraged to obtain proof of mailing.

Notes for questions **14–15** (page 3)

If you are an eligible noncitizen, write in your eight or nine digit Alien Registration Number. Generally, you are an eligible noncitizen if you are: (1) a U.S. permanent resident and you have an Alien Registration Receipt Card (I-151 or I-551); (2) a conditional permanent resident (I-151C); or (3) an other eligible noncitizen with an Arrival-Departure Record (I-94) from the U.S. Immigration and Naturalization Service showing any one of the following designations: "Refugee," "Asylum Granted," "Indefinite Parole," "Humanitarian Parole," or "Cuban-Haitian Entrant." If you are in the U.S. on only an F1 or F2 student visa, or only a J1 or J2 exchange visitor visa, or a G series visa (pertaining to international organizations), you must fill in oval **c**. If you are neither a citizen nor eligible noncitizen, you are not eligible for federal student aid. However, you may be eligible for state or college aid, and, thus, you should still consider filling out this form.

Notes for questions **18–22** (page 3)

For undergraduates, full time generally means taking at least 12 credit hours in a term or 24 clock hours per week. 3/4 time generally means taking at least 9 credit hours in a term or 18 clock hours per week. Half time generally means taking at least 6 credit hours in a term or 12 clock hours per week. Provide this information about the college you plan to attend.

Notes for question **30** (page 3) — Enter the correct number in the box in question 30.

Enter **1** for 1st bachelor's degree
Enter **2** for 2nd bachelor's degree
Enter **3** for associate degree (occupational or technical program)
Enter **4** for associate degree (general education or transfer program)
Enter **5** for certificate or diploma for completing an occupational, technical, or educational program of less than two years
Enter **6** for certificate or diploma for completing an occupational, technical, or educational program of at least two years
Enter **7** for teaching credential program (nondegree program)
Enter **8** for graduate or professional degree
Enter **9** for other/undecided

Notes for question **31** (page 3) — Enter the correct number in the box in question 31.

Enter **1** for 1st year/never attended college
Enter **2** for 1st year/attended college before
Enter **3** for 2nd year/sophomore
Enter **4** for 3rd year/junior
Enter **5** for 4th year/senior
Enter **6** for 5th year/other undergraduate
Enter **7** for graduate/professional or beyond

Notes for questions **39 c. and d.** (page 4) and **62 c. and d.** (page 5)

If you filed or will file a foreign tax return, use the information from your foreign tax return to fill out this form. Convert all figures to U.S. dollars, using the exchange rate that is in effect today.

If you filed or will file a tax return with Puerto Rico, Guam, American Samoa, the Virgin Islands, Marshall Islands, the Federated States of Micronesia, or Palau, use the information from these tax returns to fill out this form.

Notes for questions **40** (page 4) and **63** (page 5)

In general, a person is eligible to file a 1040A or 1040EZ if the person makes less than $50,000, does not itemize deductions, does not receive income from his or her own business or farm, and does not receive alimony or capital gains. The person is not eligible if the person receives self-employment income, alimony, capital gains, or itemizes deductions.

Notes for questions **43** (page 4) and **66** (page 5) — only for people who filed a 1040EZ

On the 1040EZ, if a person answered "Yes" on line 5, use worksheet line F to determine the number of exemptions ($2700 equals one exemption). If a person answered "No" on line 5, enter 01 if the person is single, or 02 if the person is married.

Notes for questions **50–52** (page 4) and **73–75** (page 5)

Net worth means current value minus debt.

Investments include real estate (other than your home), trust funds, money market funds, mutual funds, certificates of deposit, stocks, bonds, other securities, installment and land sale contracts (including mortgages held), commodities, etc. Investment value includes the market value of these investments. Do not include the value of life insurance and retirement plans (pension funds, annuities, IRAs, Keogh plans, etc.) or the value of prepaid tuition plans. Investment debt means only those debts that are related to the investments.

Business value includes the market value of land, buildings, machinery, equipment, and inventory. Business debt means only those debts for which the business was used as collateral.

Notes for question **57** (page 4)

Answer **"Yes"** (you are a veteran) if (1) you have engaged in active service in the U.S. Armed Forces (Army, Navy, Air Force, Marines, and Coast Guard), or were a cadet or midshipman at one of the service academies, and (2) you were released under a condition other than dishonorable. You should also answer "Yes" if you are not a veteran now but will be one by June 30, 2000.

Answer **"No"** (you are not a veteran) if (1) you have never served in the U.S. Armed Forces, or (2) you are an ROTC student, a cadet or midshipman at a service academy, or a National Guard or Reserves enlistee (and were not activated for duty). You should also answer "No" if you are currently serving in the U.S. Armed Forces and will continue to serve through June 30, 2000.

Free Application for Federal Student Aid

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July 1, 1999 — June 30, 2000 school year

Step One: For questions 1-37, leave blank any questions that do not apply to you (the student).

1-3. Your name — 1. LAST NAME: FOR INFORMATION ONLY; 2. FIRST NAME: DO NOT SUBMIT; 3. M.I.

4-7. Your permanent mailing address — 4. NUMBER AND STREET (INCLUDE APARTMENT NUMBER); 5. CITY (AND COUNTRY, IF NOT U.S.); 6. STATE; 7. ZIP CODE*

8. Your Social Security Number: XXX - XX - XXXX

9. Your date of birth: MONTH / DAY / YEAR 19

10. Your permanent telephone number: AREA CODE

11. Do you have a driver's license? Yes ○ 1 No ○ 2

12-13. Driver's license number and state — 12. LICENSE NUMBER; 13. STATE

14. Are you a U.S. citizen? Pick one. **See Page 2.**

a. Yes, I am a U.S. citizen. ○ 1

b. No, but I am an eligible noncitizen. **Fill in question 15.** ○ 2

c. No, I am not a citizen or eligible noncitizen. ○ 3

15. ALIEN REGISTRATION NUMBER: A

16. Marital status as of today

I am single, divorced, or widowed. ○ 1

I am married. ○ 2

I am separated. ○ 3

17. Month and year you were married, separated, divorced, or widowed — MONTH / YEAR

For each question (18 - 22), please mark whether you will be full time, 3/4 time, half time, less than half time, or not attending. Mark "Full time" if you are not sure. See page 2.

18. Summer 1999	Full time ○ 1	3/4 time ○ 2	Half time ○ 3	Less than half time ○ 4	Not attending ○ 5
19. Fall semester or quarter 1999	Full time ○ 1	3/4 time ○ 2	Half time ○ 3	Less than half time ○ 4	Not attending ○ 5
20. Winter quarter 1999-2000	Full time ○ 1	3/4 time ○ 2	Half time ○ 3	Less than half time ○ 4	Not attending ○ 5
21. Spring semester or quarter 2000	Full time ○ 1	3/4 time ○ 2	Half time ○ 3	Less than half time ○ 4	Not attending ○ 5
22. Summer 2000	Full time ○ 1	3/4 time ○ 2	Half time ○ 3	Less than half time ○ 4	Not attending ○ 5
23. Highest school your father completed	Middle school/Jr. High ○ 1	High school ○ 2	College or beyond ○ 3	Other/unknown ○ 4	
24. Highest school your mother completed	Middle school/Jr. High ○ 1	High school ○ 2	College or beyond ○ 3	Other/unknown ○ 4	

25. What is your state of legal residence? STATE

26. Did you become a legal resident of this state before January 1, 1994? Yes ○ 1 No ○ 2

27. If the answer to question 26 is **"No,"** give month and year you became a legal resident. MONTH / YEAR

28. Most male students must register with Selective Service to get federal aid. Are you male? Yes ○ 1 No ○ 2

29. If you are male (age 18-25) and not registered, do you want Selective Service to register you? Yes ○ 1 No ○ 2

30. What degree or certificate will you be working towards during 1999-2000? **See page 2** and enter the correct number in the box.

31. What will be your grade level when you begin the 1999-2000 school year? **See page 2** and enter the correct number in the box.

32. Will you have a high school diploma or GED before you enroll? Yes ○ 1 No ○ 2

33. Will you have your first bachelor's degree before July 1, 1999? Yes ○ 1 No ○ 2

34. In addition to grants, are you interested in student loans (which you must pay back)? Yes ○ 1 No ○ 2

35. In addition to grants, are you interested in "work-study" (which you earn through work)? Yes ○ 1 No ○ 2

36. If you receive veterans' education benefits, for **how many months** from July 1, 1999 through June 30, 2000 will you receive these benefits?

37. Amount per month? $

For 38-52, if you are now married (even if you were not married in 1998), report both your and your spouse's income and assets. If you are not married, answer these questions about you and ignore the references to "spouse." If the answer is zero or the question does not apply to you, enter 0.

38. For 1998, have you filed your IRS income tax return or a tax return listed in **question 39**?

a. I have already filed. ○ 1 **b.** I will file, but I have not yet filed. ○ 2 **c.** I'm not going to file. **(Skip to question 45.)** ○

39. What income tax return did you file or will you file for 1998?

a. IRS 1040 ..... ○ 1
b. IRS 1040A, 1040EZ, 1040Telefile ..... ○ 2
c. A foreign tax return. **See Page 2.** ..... ○ 3
d. A tax return for Puerto Rico, Guam, American Samoa, the Virgin Islands, Marshall Islands, the Federated States of Micronesia, or Palau. **See Page 2** ..... ○ 4

40. If you have filed or will file a 1040, were you eligible to file a 1040A or 1040EZ? **See page 2.** Yes ○ 1 No/don't know ○ 2

41. What was your (and spouse's) adjusted gross income for 1998? Adjusted gross income is on IRS Form 1040–line 33; 1040A–line 18; or 1040EZ–line 4. $,

42. Enter the total amount of your (and spouse's) income tax for 1998. Income tax amount is on IRS Form 1040–line 49; 1040A–line 32; or 1040EZ–line 10. $,

43. Enter your (and spouse's) exemptions. Exemptions are on IRS Form 1040–line 6d, and on Form 1040A–line 6d. For Form 1040EZ, **see page 2.**

44. Enter your Earned Income Credit from IRS Form 1040–line 59a; 1040A–line 37a; or 1040EZ–line 8a. $,

45-46. How much did you (and spouse) earn from working in 1998? Answer this question whether or not you filed a tax return. This information may be on your W-2 forms, or on IRS Form 1040–lines 7, 12, and 18; or on 1040A–line 7; or on 1040EZ–line 1.

You (45) $,

Your Spouse (46) $,

47. Go to page 8 of this form; complete the column on the left of **Worksheet A**; enter student total here. $,

48. Go to page 8 of this form; complete the column on the left of **Worksheet B**; enter student total here. $,

49. Total current balance of cash, savings, and checking accounts $,

For 50-52, if net worth is one million or more, enter $999,999. If net worth is negative, enter 0.

50. Current net worth of investments (investment value minus investment debt) **See page 2.** $,

51. Current net worth of business (business value minus business debt) **See page 2.** $,

52. Current net worth of investment farm (Don't include a farm that you live on and operate.) $,

Step Two: If you (the student) answer "Yes" to any question in Step Two, go to Step Three. If you answer "No" to every question, skip Step Three and go to Step Four.

53. Were you born before January 1, 1976? ..... Yes ○ 1 No ○ 2

54. Will you be working on a degree beyond a bachelor's degree in school year 1999-2000? ..... Yes ○ 1 No ○ 2

55. As of today, are you married? (Answer yes if you are separated, but not divorced.) ..... Yes ○ 1 No ○ 2

56. Are you an orphan or ward of the court or were you a ward of the court until age 18? ..... Yes ○ 1 No ○ 2

57. Are you a veteran of the U.S. Armed Forces? **See page 2.** ..... Yes ○ 1 No ○ 2

58. Answer **"Yes"** if: (1) You have children who receive more than half of their support from you; **or**
(2) You have dependents (other than your children or spouse) who live with you and receive more than half of their support from you, now and through June 30, 2000. ..... Yes ○ 1 No ○ 2

Step Three: Complete this step only if you answered "Yes" to any question in Step Two.

59. How many people are in your (and your spouse's) household? **See page 7.**

60. How many in question 59 will be college students between July 1, 1999, and June 30, 2000? **See page 7.**

Now go to Step Five. (If you are a graduate health profession student, you may be required to complete Step Four even if you answered "Yes" to any questions in Step Two.)

Step Four: Please tell us about your parents. See page 7 for who is considered a parent. Complete this step if you (the student) answered "No" to all questions in Step Two.

For 61 - 75, if the answer is zero or the question does not apply, enter 0.

61. For 1998, have your parents filed their IRS income tax return or a tax return listed in **question 62**?

a. My parents have already filed. ○ 1 **b.** My parents will file, but they have not yet filed. ○ 2 **c.** My parents are not going to file. **(Skip to question 68.)** ○ 3

62. What income tax return did your parents file or will they file for 1998?

a. IRS 1040 ..... ○ 1
b. IRS 1040A, 1040EZ, 1040Telefile ..... ○ 2
c. A foreign tax return. **See Page 2.** ..... ○ 3
d. A tax return for Puerto Rico, Guam, American Samoa, the Virgin Islands, Marshall Islands, the Federated States of Micronesia, or Palau. **See Page 2** ..... ○ 4

63. If your parents have filed or will file a 1040, were they eligible to file a 1040A or 1040EZ? **See page 2.** Yes ○ 1 No/don't know ○ 2

64. What was your parents' adjusted gross income for 1998?
Adjusted gross income is on IRS Form 1040–line 33; 1040A–line 18; or 1040EZ–line 4. $,

65. Enter the total amount of your parents' income tax for 1998. Income tax amount is on IRS Form 1040–line 49; 1040A–line 32; or 1040EZ–line 10. $,

66. Enter your parents' exemptions. Exemptions are on IRS Form 1040–line 6d and on Form 1040A–line 6d. For Form 1040EZ, **see page 2.**

67. Enter your parents' Earned Income Credit from IRS Form 1040–line 59a; 1040A–line 37a; or 1040EZ–line 8a. $,

68-69. How much did your parents earn from working in 1998? Answer this question whether or not your parents filed a tax return. This information may be on their W-2 forms, or on IRS Form 1040–lines 7, 12, and 18; or on 1040A–line 7; or on 1040EZ–line 1.

Father/ Stepfather (68) $,

Mother/ Stepmother (69) $,

70. Go to page 8 of this form; complete the column on the right of **Worksheet A**; enter parent total here. $,

71. Go to page 8 of this form; complete the column on the right of **Worksheet B**; enter parent total here. $,

72. Total current balance of cash, savings, and checking accounts $,

For 73–75, if net worth is one million or more, enter $999,999. If net worth is negative, enter 0.

73. Current net worth of investments (investment value minus investment debt) **See page 2.** $,

74. Current net worth of business (business value minus business debt) **See page 2.** $,

75. Current net worth of investment farm (Don't include a farm that your parents live on and operate.) $,

76. Parents' marital status as of today? (Pick one.) Married ○ 1 Single ○ 2 Divorced/Separated ○ 3 Widowed ○ 4

77. How many people are in your parents' household? **See page 7.**

78. How many in question 77 will be college students between July 1, 1999, and June 30, 2000? **See page 7.**

79. What is your parents' state of legal residence? STATE

80. Did your parents become legal residents of the state in question 79 before January 1, 1994? Yes ○ 1 No ○ 2

81. If the answer to question 80 is "No," enter month/year for the parent who has been a legal resident the longest. MONTH / YEAR

82. What is the age of your older parent?

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Step Five: Please tell us which schools should receive your information.

For each school (up to six), please provide the federal school code and indicate your housing plans. Look for the federal school codes at your college financial aid office, at your public library, on the internet at http://www.ed.gov/offices/OPE, or by asking your high school guidance counselor. If you cannot get the federal school code, write in the complete name, address, city, and state of the college.

	Federal school code	*OR* Name of college	College street address and city	State	Housing Plans
83.					84. on campus ○ 1 off campus ○ 2 with parent ○ 3
85.					86. on campus ○ 1 off campus ○ 2 with parent ○ 3
87.					88. on campus ○ 1 off campus ○ 2 with parent ○ 3
89.					90. on campus ○ 1 off campus ○ 2 with parent ○ 3
91.					92. on campus ○ 1 off campus ○ 2 with parent ○ 3
93.					94. on campus ○ 1 off campus ○ 2 with parent ○ 3

Step Six: Please read, sign, and date.

By signing this application, you agree, if asked, to provide information that will verify the accuracy of your completed form. This information may include a copy of your U.S. or state income tax form. Also, you certify that you (1) will use federal student financial aid only to pay the cost of attending an institution of higher education, (2) are not in default on a federal student loan or have made satisfactory arrangements to repay it, (3) do not owe money back on a federal student grant or have made satisfactory arrangements to repay it, and (4) will notify your school if you default on a federal student loan. If you purposely give false or misleading information, you may be fined $10,000, sent to prison, or both.

95. Date this form was completed.

MONTH ☐☐ / DAY ☐☐ / 1999 ○ or 2000 ○

96. Student signature

1 **FOR INFORMATION ONLY.**

Parent signature (one parent whose information is provided in Step Four.)

2 **DO NOT SUBMIT.**

If this form was filled out by someone other than you, your spouse, or your parent(s), that person must complete this part.

Preparer's Name and Firm _____

Address _____

97. Social Security # ☐☐☐ – ☐☐ – ☐☐☐☐

OR

98. Employer ID # ☐☐ – ☐☐☐☐☐☐☐

SCHOOL USE ONLY

D/O ○ 1 Federal School Code ☐☐☐☐☐☐

FAA Signature

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99. Signature and Date 1 _____

MDE USE ONLY

Special Handle ☐ – ☐☐☐☐☐☐☐

Notes for question **59** (page 4)

Include in your household:

- yourself (and your spouse, if you have one), and
- your children, if you provide more than half of their support, and
- other people if they now live with you, and you provide more than half of their support and will continue to provide more than half of their support from July 1, 1999 through June 30, 2000.

Notes for questions **60** (page 4) and **78** (page 5)

Count yourself as a college student even if you will attend college less than half time in 1999-2000. Include others only if they will attend at least half time in 1999-2000 in a program that leads to a college degree or certificate.

Notes for questions **61–82** (page 5) **Step Four:** Who is considered a parent in this Step?

If your parents are both living and married to each other, answer the questions about them. (You will be providing information about two people.)

If your parent is widowed or single, answer the questions about that parent. (You will be providing information about one person.) If your widowed parent has remarried as of today, answer the questions about that parent and the person whom your parent married. (You will be providing information about two people.)

If your parents have divorced or separated, answer the questions about the parent you lived with most during the past 12 months. If you did not live with one parent more than with the other, answer in terms of the parent who provided the most financial support during the last 12 months, or during the most recent year that you actually were supported by a parent. (You will be providing information about one person.) If this parent has remarried as of today, answer the questions on the rest of this form about that parent and the person whom your parent married. (You will be providing information about two people.)

Notes for question **77** (page 5)

Include in your parents' household:

- yourself and your parents, and
- your parents' other children if (a) your parents provide more than half of their support or (b) the children could answer "No" to every question in Step Two, and
- other people if they now live with your parents, your parents provide more than half of their support and will continue to provide more than half of their support from July 1, 1999 through June 30, 2000.

Information on the Privacy Act and use of your Social Security Number.

We use the information that you provide on this form to determine if you are eligible to receive federal student financial aid and the amount that you are eligible to receive. Section 483 of the Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended, gives us the authority to ask you these questions and to collect your social security number.

State and institutional student financial aid programs may also use the information that you provide on this form to determine if you are eligible to receive state and institutional aid and the need that you have for such aid. Therefore, we will disclose the information that you provide on this form to each institution you list in questions 83–93, state agencies in your state of legal residence, and the state agencies of the states in which the colleges that you list in questions 83–93 are located.

If you are applying solely for federal aid, you must answer all of the following questions that apply to you: 1–9, 14–16, 25, 28–29, 32–33, 38–42, 44–65, 67–79, 82, and 95–96. If you do not answer these questions, you will not receive federal aid.

Without your consent, we may disclose information that you provide to entities under a published "routine use." Under such a routine use, we may disclose information to third parties that we have authorized to assist us in administering the above programs; to other federal agencies under computer matching programs, such as those with the Social Security Administration, Selective Service System, Immigration and Naturalization Service, and Veterans Administration; to your parents or spouse; and to members of Congress if you ask them to help you with student aid questions.

If the federal government, the U.S. Department of Education, or an employee of the U.S. Department of Education is involved in litigation, we may send information to the Department of Justice, or a court or adjudicative body, if the disclosure is related to financial aid and certain conditions are met. In addition, we may send your information to a foreign, federal, state, or local enforcement agency if the information that you submitted indicates a violation or potential violation of law, for which that agency has jurisdiction for investigation or prosecution. Finally, we may send information regarding a claim that is determined to be valid and overdue to a consumer reporting agency. This information includes identifiers from the record; the amount, status, and history of the claim; and the program under which the claim arose.

State Certification.

By submitting this application, you are giving your state financial aid agency permission to verify any statement on this form and to obtain income tax information for all persons required to report income on this form.

The Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995

The Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 says that no one is required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number, which for this form is 1840-0110. The time required to complete this form is estimated to be one hour per response, including time to review instructions, search data resources, gather the data needed, and complete and review the information collection. If you have comments about this estimate or suggestions for improving this form, please write to: U.S. Department of Education, Washington DC 20202-4651.

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Worksheets – Even though you may have few of these items, check carefully.

Keep these worksheets with a copy of your application. Do **not** mail these worksheets in with your application.

Worksheet A

For question **47:** Enter and add together all of the following that apply to you (and your spouse) in the column on the left. Enter the total amount in question 47 on page 4 of this form.

For question **70:** Enter and add together all of the following that apply to your parents in the column on the right (if you are required to complete Step 4 of the application). Enter the total amount in question 70 on page 5 of this form.

For question 47 Student (and spouse)	**Calendar Year 1998**	**For question 70 Parent(s)**
$	Payments to tax-deferred pension and savings plans (paid directly or withheld from earnings) as reported on the W-2 Form. Include untaxed portions of 401(k) and 403(b) plans.	$
$	Deductible IRA and/or Keogh payments: IRS Form 1040–total of lines 23 and 29; or 1040A–line 15	$
$	Child support received for all children. Don't include foster care or adoption payments.	$
$	Welfare benefits, including Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF). Don't include food stamps.	$
$	Tax exempt interest income from IRS Form 1040–line 8b; or 1040A–line 8b	$
$	Foreign income exclusion from IRS Form 2555–line 43; or 2555EZ–line 18	$
$	Untaxed portions of pensions from IRS Form 1040–(line 15a minus 15b) plus (16a minus 16b); or 1040A–(line 10a minus 10b) plus (11a minus 11b) excluding rollovers	$
$	Credit for Federal tax on special fuels from IRS Form 4136–Part III – nonfarmers only	$
$	Social Security payments that were not taxed	$
$	Housing, food, and other living allowances paid to members of the military, clergy, and others (including cash payments and cash value of benefits)	$
$	Workers' Compensation	$
$	Veterans' noneducation benefits, such as Death Pension or Dependency & Indemnity Compensation (DIC)	$
$	Any other untaxed income and benefits, such as VA Educational Work-Study allowances, untaxed portions of Railroad Retirement Benefits, Black Lung Benefits, Refugee Assistance, etc. Don't include student aid, JTPA benefits, or benefits from flexible spending arrangements, e.g., cafeteria plans.	$
$	Cash or any money paid on your behalf, not reported elsewhere on this form	XXXXXXXXX
$ _____	(Enter this amount in question 47.) (Enter this amount in question 70.)	$ _____
Student (and spouse) total		**Parent(s) total**

Worksheet B

For question **48:** Enter and add together all of the following that apply to you (and your spouse) in the column on the left. Enter the total amount in question 48 on page 4 of this form.

For question **71:** Enter and add together all of the following that apply to your parents in the column on the right (if you are required to complete Step 4 of the application). Enter the total amount in question 71 on page 5 of this form.

For question 48 Student (and spouse)	**Calendar Year 1998**	**For question 71 Parent(s)**
$	Education credits (Hope and Lifetime Learning Tax Credits) from IRS Form 1040-line 44; or 1040A-line 29.	$
$	Child support you or your spouse (or your parents) paid because of divorce or separation. Do not include support for children in your (or your parents') household, as reported in question 59 (or question 77 for your parents).	$
$	Taxable earnings from Federal Work-Study or other need-based work programs	$
$	AmeriCorps awards — allowances and benefits	$
$	Student grant and scholarship aid in excess of the tuition, fees, books, and supplies that was reported in question 41 for students and 64 for parents	$
$ _____	(Enter this amount in question 48.) (Enter this amount in question 71.)	$ _____
Student (and spouse) total		**Parent(s) total**

Appendix B

Title IV Codes:
Oregon colleges and universities, and some schools in other states

STATE SYSTEM	CODE
Eastern Oregon University	003193
Oregon Health Sciences Univ	004883
Oregon Inst of Technology	003211
Oregon State University	003210
Portland State University	003216
Southern Oregon University	003219
University of Oregon	003223
Western Oregon University	003209

COMMUNITY COLLEGES	CODE
Blue Mountain Community	003186
Central Oregon Community	003188
Chemeketa Community	003218
Clackamas Community	004878
Clatsop Community	003189
Columbia Gorge: see PCC	003213
Klamath Falls Com: see PCC	003213
Lane Community	003196
Linn-Benton Community	006938
Mount Hood Community	003204
Oregon Coast: see Chemeketa	003218
Portland Community (PCC)	003213
Rogue Community	010071
Southwestern Oregon Comm	003220
Tillamook Bay: see PCC	003213
Treasure Valley Community	003221
Umpqua Community	003222

PRIVATE NONPROFIT	CODE
Cascade College	E00716
Concordia University	003191
Eugene Bible College	015167
George Fox University	003194
Lewis & Clark College	003197
Linfield College	003198
Linfield – Portland Campus	E00614
Marylhurst College	003199
Mount Angel Seminary	003203
Multnomah Bible College	003206
National Clg Naturopath Med	B07624
Northwest Christian College	003208
Oregon College of Art & Craft	030073
Oregon College Oriental Med	B07625
Oregon Graduate Institute	G08856
Pacific Northwest College Art	003207
Pacific University	003212
Reed College	003217
University of Portland	003224
Warner Pacific College	003225
Western Baptist College	001339
Western Seminary	G07178
Western States Chiropractic	012309
Willamette University	003227

PROPRIETARY	CODE
A'Art College of Beauty	009532
Academy of Hair Design, Inc	010507
Apollo College	030425
Art Institutes International	007819
Artistic School Hair Design	015654
Astoria Beauty College	016348
Beau Monde Clg Hair Design	015090
College of Cosmetology	014006
College Hair Design Careers	016618
College of Legal Arts	014581
Columbia College	016900
Concorde Career Institute	008887
Edward Wadsworth Hair	013905
ITT Technical Institute	011852
Magee Bros Beaverton	017143
Milwaukie Beauty School	014351
Northwest Nannies Inst	017338
Oregon Clg Beauty & Barber	015855
Phagans' Beauty, Corvallis	012348
Phagans' Central Oregon	012347
Phagans' Gateway Beauty	012349
Phagans' Medford Beauty	010122
Phagans' Hair, Milwaukie	012350
Phagans' Beauty, Salem	012351
Phagans' Tigard Beauty	013130
Pioneer Pacific College	016520
Roseburg Beauty College	016669
Springfield College Beauty	009581
Tara Lara Academy K-9 Hair	017312
Western Business College	009079
Western Culinary Institute	030226

ARIZONA	CODE
Arizona State University	001081
Embry Riddle Aeronautic Univ	001479
University of Arizona	001083

CALIFORNIA	CODE
California Institute of Tech	001131
Claremont McKenna College	001170
Harvey Mudd College	001171
Humboldt State University	001149
Occidental College	001249
Pepperdine College	010149
Ponoma College	001173
St Mary's College	001302
Stanford University	001305
University of Calif, Berkeley	001312
University of California, Davis	001313
University of Calif, Los Angeles	001315
University of Calif, San Diego	001317
University of San Francisco	001325
University of Santa Clara	001326
University of Southern California	001328

COLORADO	CODE
Colorado College	001347
Colorado School of Mines	001348
University of Colorado	001370

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	CODE
George Washington Univ	001444
Georgetown University	001445

IDAHO	CODE
Boise State University	001616
College of Idaho	001617
Northwest Nazarene College	001624
Ricks College	001625
University of Idaho	001626

MASSACHUSETTS	CODE
Amherst College	002115
Boston University	002130
Harvard University	002155
Massachusetts Inst of Tech	002178
Tufts University	002219
Williams College	002229

MINNESOTA	CODE
Carleton College	002340
Gustavis Adolphus College	002353
Macalester College	002358

MONTANA	CODE
Carroll College	002526
Montana State University	002532
University of Montana	002536

NEW YORK	CODE
Cornell University	002711
Sarah Lawrence College	002813
Syracuse University	002882
University of Rochester	002894

PENNSYLVANIA	CODE
Bym Mawr College	003237
Swarthmore College	003370

UTAH	CODE
Brigham Young University	003670
University of Utah	003675
Utah State University	003677

WASHINGTON COLLEGES	CODE
Antioch University, Seattle	E00555
Art Institute of Seattle	016210
Bellevue Community	003769
Big Bend Community	003770
Centralia College	003772
City University	013022
Clark College	003773
Columbia Basin College	003774
Cornish College of the Arts	012315
Eastern Washington University	003775
Edmonds Community	005001
Everett Community	003776
Gonzaga University	003778
Grays Harbor College	003779
Green River Community	003780
Highline Community	003781

WASHINGTON COLLEGES	CODE
Lower Columbia College	003782
North Seattle Community	009704
Northwest College	003783
Olympic College	003784
Pacific Lutheran University	003785
Pierce College	005000
Puget Sound Christian College	013681
Seattle Central Community	003787
Seattle Pacific University	003788
Seattle University	003790
Shoreline Community	003791
Skagit Valley College	003792
South Puget Sound Community	005372
South Seattle Community	009706
Spokane Community	003793
Spokane Falls Community	009544

WASHINGTON COLLEGES	CODE
St Martin's College	003794
Tacoma Community	003796
The Evergreen State College	008155
University of Puget Sound	003797
Univ Puget Sound - Law	E00615
University of Washington	003798
Walla Walla College	003799
Walla Walla Community	005006
Washington State University	003800
Wenatchee Valley College	003801
Western Washington University	003802
Whatcom Community	010364
Whitman College	003803
Whitworth College	003804
Yakima Valley Community	003805

Appendix C

Student Financial Aid Application Information

APPLICATION INFORMATION: STUDENT FINANCIAL AID for 1999-2000 APPENDIX C

STATE SYSTEM	Priority filing date for campus-based and school financial aid	Must you fill out additional financial aid papers other than FAFSA?	Does school have an additional scholarship application?	Must you apply for admission before school will award aid?	Must you be accepted before school will award aid?
Eastern Oregon University	asap after 1/1	No	Yes	No	No
Oregon Health Sciences	March 1	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Oregon Inst of Technology	March 1	No	Yes, March 15	Yes	No
Oregon State University	Feb 1	No	Yes	Yes	No
Portland State University	until $ gone	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Southern Oregon University	March 1	No	Yes	Yes	No
University of Oregon	March 1	No	Yes, Feb 1	Yes	No
Western Oregon University	March 1	No	Yes, Feb 15	Yes	No
COMMUNITY COLLEGES					
Blue Mountain Community	April 15	No	Yes	No	No
Central Oregon Community	Rolling	No	Yes, March 31	No	No
Chemeketa Community	Rolling	Yes	No	No	No
Clackamas Community	April 1	Yes	Yes, April 4	Yes	Yes
Clatsop Community	August 1	Yes	Yes	No	No
Columbia Gorge Community	June 30	No	Yes	Yes	No
Klamath Community	N/A	Yes	No	Yes	No
Lane Community	Feb 15	No	No	Yes	Yes
Linn-Benton Community	April 1	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
Mount Hood Community	April 1	Yes	Yes	No	No
Oregon Coast Community	Rolling	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
Portland Community	March 31	Yes	Yes, April 30	Yes	No
Rogue Community	Rolling	No	Yes, March 15	placement test	placement test
Southwestern Oregon Comm	Feb 1	No	Yes, mid-Feb	No	No
Tillamook Bay Community	Rolling	Yes	No		
Treasure Valley Community	April 15	No	Yes, April 1	Yes	Yes
Umpqua Community	March 1	No	Yes, April 30	No	No
PRIVATE NONPROFIT COLLEGES					
Cascade College	Rolling	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
Concordia University	Rolling	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
Eugene Bible College	July 15	No	Yes, Feb 1	Yes	Yes
George Fox University		No	Yes, May 1	Yes	Yes
Lewis & Clark College	March 1	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Linfield College		No	No	Yes	Yes
Linfield - Portland Campus	April 15	Yes	Yes, March 15	Yes	Yes
Marylhurst College	Rolling	No	Yes, July 31	No	No
Mount Angel Seminary	June	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
Multnomah Bible College	April 1	Yes	Yes, April 1	Yes	Yes
National Clg Naturopath Med	Rolling	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
Northwest Christian College	March 1	No	Feb 1	Yes	Yes
Oregon College of Art & Craft		Yes	No	Yes	Yes
Oregon College Oriental Med	Rolling	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
Oregon Graduate Institute	Rolling	No	No	No	No
Pacific Northwest College Art	March 1	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
Pacific University	Feb 15	No	No	Yes	Yes
Reed College	March 1	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
University of Portland	March 1	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
Warner Pacific College	June 1	No	Yes, March 15	Yes	No
Western Baptist College	Rolling	No	Yes	Yes	No
Western Seminary	July 15	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
Western States Chiropractic	Rolling	No	No	Yes	Yes
Willamette University	Feb 1	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

Appendix D

Student Budgets

STUDENT BUDGETS 1998-99

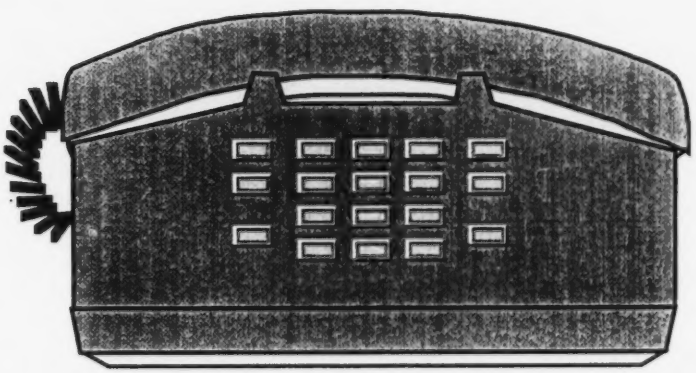
APPENDIX D

STATE SYSTEM	Dorm or Off-campus?	Tuition & Fees	Books & Supplies	Room & Board	Personal expenses	Travel	TOTAL
Eastern Oregon Univ	Both	3,261	600	4,425	852	501	9,639
Oregon Health Sciences	Both	6,139	1,845	7,650	2,534	1,000	19,168
Oregon Institute of Tech	Both	3,324	840	4,418	2,422	included	11,004
Oregon State University	Both	3,540	900	5,064	2,190	included	11,694
Portland State University	Both	3,402	1,050	5,850	1,335	450	12,087
Southern Oregon Univ	Both	3,204	813	4,557	1,830	462	10,866
University of Oregon	Dorm	3,681	675	5,175	1,665	included	11,196
Western Oregon Univ	Both	3,198	810	4,410	2,085	included	10,503
COMMUNITY COLLEGES							
Blue Mountain Comm	Off-campus	1,620	660	3,600	825	900	7,605
Central Oregon Comm	Both	1,707	800	4,500	930	930	8,867
Chemeketa Community	Off-campus	1,350	900	4,050	1,200	1,200	8,700
Clackamas Community	Off-campus	1,560	900	2,253	741	855	6,309
Clatsop Community	Off-campus	1,260	780	3,810	1,050	1,200	8,100
Columbia Gorge Comm	Both	1,434	990	4,410	1,050	960	8,844
Klamath Community	Off-campus	1,389	990	4,410	1,050	960	8,799
Lane Community	Off-campus	1,371	675	4,725	1,215	990	8,976
Linn-Benton Community	Off-campus	1,665	900	4,581	831	1,014	8,991
Mount Hood Community	Off-campus	1,554	687	4,248	1,143	954	8,586
Oregon Coast Comm	Off-campus	1,434	990	4,410	1,050	960	8,844
Portland Community	Off-campus	1,434	990	4,410	1,050	960	8,844
Rogue Community	Off-campus	1,440	744	3,795	900	900	7,779
Southwestern Oregon	Off-campus	1,611	600	4,200	540	420	7,371
Tillamook Bay Comm	Off-campus	1,434	990	4,410	1,050	960	8,844
Treasure Valley Comm	Both	1,935	675	3,780	1,500	870	8,760
Umpqua Community	Off-campus	1,599	657	4,275	1,170	945	8,646
PRIVATE NONPROFIT COLLEGES							
Cascade College	Both	8,140	500	4,450	1,000	1,000	15,090
Concordia University	Both	13,900	500	3,790	900	400	19,490
Eugene Bible College	Both	5,658	450	3,489	300	300	10,197
George Fox University	Dorm	16,130	600	5,120	900	350	23,100
Lewis & Clark College	Dorm	19,365	600	5,720	900	300	26,885
Linfield College	Both	16,680	600	5,810	950	0	24,040
Linfield, Portland Campus	Off-campus	16,970	1,100	6,900	1,500	1,500	27,970
Marylhurst College	Off-campus	10,345	600	6,000	1,500	600	19,045
Mount Angel Seminary	Dorm	8,600	400	4,700	1,000	1,000	15,700
Multnomah Bible College	Dorm	7,590	500	3,450	1,000	1,200	13,740
National Clg Naturopathic	Off-campus	15,144	1,400	10,336	included	included	26,880
Northwest Christian Clg	Dorm	11,634	600	4,986	1,600	included	18,820
Oregon Clg Art & Craft	Off-campus	11,800	1,150	7,200	375	1,300	21,825
Oregon Clg Oriental Med	Off-campus	8,516	450	4,680	2,106	included	15,752
Oregon Graduate Institute	Off-campus	12,750	690	7,295	1,453	1,608	23,796
Pacific Northwest Clg Art	Both	11,600	1,200	4,670	1,270	350	19,090
Pacific University	Both	16,695	700	4,564	1,050	500	23,509
Reed College	Off-campus	23,120	500	5,200	450	80	29,350
University of Portland	Dorm	16,300	600	4,990	600	500	22,990
Warner Pacific College	Dorm	11,482	500	4,100	1,250	414	17,746
Western Baptist College	Both	12,750	600	4,820	1,150	1,150	20,470
Western Seminary	Off-campus	7,020	1,087	8,169	2,475	1,036	19,787
Western States Chiroprac	Off-campus	14,190	1,008	7,362	3,690	1,044	27,294
Willamette University	Dorm	21,095	400	5,480	750	included	27,725

NOTE: Costs for students living **at home** may be **considerably less** than off-campus or dorm budgets.

Appendix E

Financial Aid Offices



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STATE SYSTEM	MAILING ADDRESS	FIN AID DIRECTOR	FIN AID PH.	FIN AID FAX
Eastern Oregon University	1410 L Ave LaGrande OR 97850	Robert Clarke	541/962-3550	962-3661
Oregon Health Sciences	3181 SW Sam Jackson Park Rd Portland OR 97201-3098	Victoria Souza	503/494-7800 800/775-5460	494-4629
Oregon Institute of Tech.	3201 Campus Drive Klamath Falls 97601	Sherie Westervelt	541/885-1280 800/422-2017	885-1024
Oregon State University	218 Kerr Administration Bldg Corvallis OR 97331-2120	Keith McCreight	541/737-2241	737-4494
Portland State University	PO Box 751 Portland OR 97207-0751	Samuel Collie	503/725-3461 800/547-8887	725-5965
Southern Oregon Univ.	1250 Siskiyou Blvd Ashland OR 97520	Constance Alexander	541/552-6161 800/482-7072	552-6035
University of Oregon	1278 U of O Eugene OR 97403-1278	Edmond Vignoul	541/346-3221 800/760-6953	346-1175
Western Oregon University	345 N Monmouth Ave Monmouth OR 97361	Sandra Mountain	503/838-8475	838-8200

COMMUNITY COLLEGES	MAILING ADDRESS	FIN AID DIRECTOR	FIN AID PH.	FIN AID FAX
Blue Mountain Community	2411 NW Carden Ave Pendleton OR 97801	Theresa Bosworth	541/278-5790	278-5889
Central Oregon Community	2600 NW College Way Bend OR 97701	Jerry Polischuk	541/383-7260	383-7506
Chemeketa Community	PO Box 14007 Salem OR 97309	Kathy Campbell	503/399-5018	399-5038
Clackamas Community	19600 S Molalla Ave Oregon City OR 97045	Mary Jo Jackson	503/657-6958 x2702	650-6654
Clatsop Community	1653 Jerome Ave Astoria OR 97103	Sharon Boring	503/338-2322	325-5738
Columbia Gorge Comm.	400 E Scenic Dr The Dalles OR 97058	see PCC	541/298-3109	298-3104
Klamath Community	241 Williams Ave Klamath Falls OR 97601	see PCC	503/977-4934	977-4965
Lane Community	4000 East 30th Ave Eugene OR 97405	Frank Marshall	541/726-2205	744-3983
Linn-Benton Community	6500 SW Pacific Blvd Albany OR 97321	Lance Popoff	541/917-4850	917-4864
Mount Hood Community	26000 SE Stark Gresham OR 97030	Rod Boettcher	503/667-7262	667-7379
Oregon Coast Community	332 SW Coast Hwy Newport OR 97365	see Chemeketa	541/265-2283	265-3820
Portland Community (PCC)	12000 SW 49th Ave Portland OR 97219	Corbett Gottfried	503/977-4934	977-4965
Rogue Community	3345 Redwood Hwy Grants Pass RO 97527	Shirlee Willis Haslip	541/471-3500 800/411-6508	471-3573
Southwestern Oregon Com	1988 Newmark Ave Coos Bay OR 97420-2956	Robin Bunnell	541/888-7410 800/962-2838	888-7247
Tillamook Bay Community	2510 First St Tillamook OR 97141	see PCC	503/842-8222	842-2214
Treasure Valley Comm	650 College Blvd Ontario OR 97914	Kathy Gibson	541/889-6493, x286	889-2100
Umpqua Community	PO Box 967 Roseburg OR 97470	Claudia Justice	541/440-4620 800-820-5161	440-4612

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PRIVATE NONPROFIT COLLEGES	MAILING ADDRESS	FIN. AID DIRECTOR	FIN. AID PHONE	FIN. AID FAX
Cascade College	9101 E Burnside Portland OR 97216	Kaelea Graul	503/257-1218 800/550-7678	257-1222
Concordia University	2811 NE Holman Street Portland OR 97211	Jim Cullen	503/280-8514 800/321-9371	280-8661
Eugene Bible College	2155 Bailey Hill Rd Eugene OR 97401	Keith Mabus	541/485-1780 800/322-2638	343-5801
George Fox University	414 N Meridian Newberg OR 97132	Don Black	503/538-8383 800/765-4369	554-3880
Lewis & Clark College	0615 SW Palatine Hill Rd Portland OR 97219	Glendi Gaddis	503/768-7090 800/444-4111	768-7074
Linfield College	900 SE Baker McMinnville OR 97128	Dan Preston	503/434-2225	434-2486
Linfield - Portland Campus	2255 NW Northrup Portland OR 97210	Freddie Chew	503/413-6844	413-6846
Marylhurst College	17600 Pacific Hwy,PO Box 261 Marylhurst OR 97036	Marlena McKee-Flores	503/699-6253 800/634-9982	636-9526
Mount Angel Seminary	1 Abbey Dr St. Benedict OR 97373	Dorene Preis	503/845-3122	845-3126
Multnomah Bible College	8435 NE Glisan St Portland OR 97220	David Allen	503/251-5335 800/275-4672	254-1268
National Naturopathic Med	049 SW Porter Portland OR 97207	Laurie V. Radford	503/499-4343 x302	499-0027
Northwest Christian Clg	828 E 11th Ave Eugene OR 97401	Jocelyn Hubbs	541/684-7203	684-7323
Oregon College Art & Craft	8245 SW Barnes Rd Portland OR 97225	Paul Krull	503/297-5544 800/390-0632	297-3155
Oregon College Orient Med	10525 SE Cherry Blossom Dr Portland OR 97216	Jim Eddy	503/253-3443	253-2701
Oregon Graduate Institute	PO Box 91000 Portland OR 97291	Julie Wilson	503/690-1166 800/685-2423	690-1285
Pacific NW College of Art	PO Box 2725 Portland OR 97205	Jennifer Satalino	503/226-4391 800/818-pnca	226-3587
Pacific University	2043 College Way Forest Grove OR 97116	Mike Johnson	503/359-2222 800/635-0561	359-2950
Reed College	3203 SE Woodstock Blvd Portland OR 97202	Marlene A. Schmitt	503/777-7223 800/547-4750	777-7769
University of Portland	5000 N Willamette Portland OR 97203	Rita Lambert	503/283-7311 800/227-4568	283-7508
Warner Pacific College	2219 SE 68 Portland OR 97215	Jackie Gresham	503/788-7423 800/582-7885	788-7425
Western Baptist College	5000 Deer Park SE Salem OR 97301	Jason Derr	503/375-7006 800/845-3005	585-4316
Western Seminary	5511 SE Hawthorne Blvd Portland OR 97215	Patricia Esselstrom	503/233-8561 800/547-4546	239-4216
Western States Chiropractic	2900 NE 132nd Ave Portland OR 97230	Michele Keeney	503/251-2803 800/641-5641	251-5723
Willamette University	900 State St Salem OR 97301	Leslie Limper	503/370-6273	370-6588

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PROPRIETARY SCHOOLS	MAILING ADDRESS	FIN. AID DIRECTOR	FIN. AID PHONE	FIN. AID FAX
A'Art College of Beauty	2101 Bailey Hill Rd #G Eugene OR 97405	Dennis & Heidi Zuniga	541/342-2108	342-2095
Academy of Hair Design	305 Court St NE Salem OR 97301	Gene Snook	503/585-8122	585-0243
Apollo College	2600 SE 98th Portland OR 97266	Betty Helm	503/761-6100 800/368-7246	761-3351
Art Institutes International	2000 SW 5th Ave Portland OR 97201	Steven Goldman	503/228-6528	228-4227
Astoria Beauty College	1180 Commercial St Astoria OR 97103	Arlene Jones	503/325-3163	325-3164
Beau Monde College Hair	1026 SW Salmon St Portland OR 97205	Cecily McClanahan	503/226-1427 888/212-7355	226-6512
College of Cosmetology	357 E Main Klamath Falls OR 97601	Roni Lankford	541/882-6644	882-6645
College Hair Design Career	3322 Lancaster Dr NE Salem OR 97305-1354	Robert Mundt	503/588-5888	588-1005
College of Legal Arts	527 SW Hall #308 Portland OR 97201	Julie Stephens	503/223-5100 800/342-3465	273-8093
Columbia College	8800 SE Sunnyside Rd, Ste 250 Clackamas OR 97015	Todd Denning	503/654-8000	659-6107
Concorde Career Institute	1827 NE 44th Portland OR 97213	JoAnn Westley	503/281-4181	281-6739
Edward Wadsworth Inst	3301 NE Sandy Blvd Portland OR 97232	Mr. Marion Erwin	503/239-0838	239-0844
ITT Technical Institute	6035 NE 78th Ct Portland OR 97218-2854	Suezi Lyon	503/255-6500 800/234-5ITT	257-3475
Magee Bros School Beauty	4500 SW Watson Beaverton OR 97005	Trish George	503/646-3183	
Northwest Clg Hair Design	6128 SE King Rd Milwaukie OR 97222	Wendy Ware	503/659-2834	659-6743
Northwest Nannies Institute	11830 SW Kerr Pkwy #100 Lake Oswego OR 97035	Carolyn Kavanaugh	503/245-5288	245-7617
Oregon Clg Beauty/Barber	672 E Main Hermiston OR 97838	Sharon Gritz	541/567-7040	

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PROPRIETARY SCHOOLS	MAILING ADDRESS	FIN. AID DIRECTOR	FIN. AID PHONE	FIN. AID FAX
Phagans' Beauty College	142 SW 2nd Corvallis OR 97333	Karen Dieckman	541/753-7770	752-2647
Phagans' Central Oregon	355 NE 2nd Bend OR 97701	Debbie Hatch	541/382-6171	385-0782
Phagans' Gateway College of Beauty	11131 NE Halsey Portland OR 97220	Mary Jo Olsen	503/684-5597	684-9800
Phagans' Grants Pass	226 SE "H" St Grants Pass OR 97526	Karen Dieckman	541/479-6678	
Phagans' Medford Beauty	2366 Poplar Dr Medford OR 97504	Mary Beth Mose	541/772-6155 800/662-9138	779-4365
Phagans' Newport Acad	333 SW Seventh St Newport OR 97365	Mary Beth Reed	541/265-3083	265-9147
Phagans' Schl Hair Design	16550 SW McLaughlin Milwaukie OR 97267	John Climaldi	503/652-2668	652-2786
Phagans' School of Beauty	622 Lancaster NE Salem OR 97301	Mary Beth Reed	503/363-6800	363-5097
Phagans' Tigard Beauty	8820 SW Center Tigard OR 97223	Mary Jo Olsen	503/684-5597	684-9800
Pioneer Pacific College	25195 SW Parkway Ave Wilsonville OR 97070	Stacey Maurer	503/682-3903	682-1514
Roseburg Beauty College	700 SE Stephens St Roseburg OR 97470	Geneva Pruitt	541/673-5533	
Springfield College Beauty	727 Main St Springfield OR 97477	Dennis Zuniga	541/746-4473	746-7141
Tara Lara Acad of K-9 Hair	16037 SE McLoughlin Blvd Portland OR 97267	Diane Fenger	503/653-5575	653-8315
Western Business College	425 SW Washington Portland OR 97204	Sharon Hale	503/222-3225	228-6926
Western Culinary Institute	1201 SW 12th Ave, Ste 100 Portland OR 97205	Jeremy Wheaton	503/223-2245 800/666-0312	223-5554

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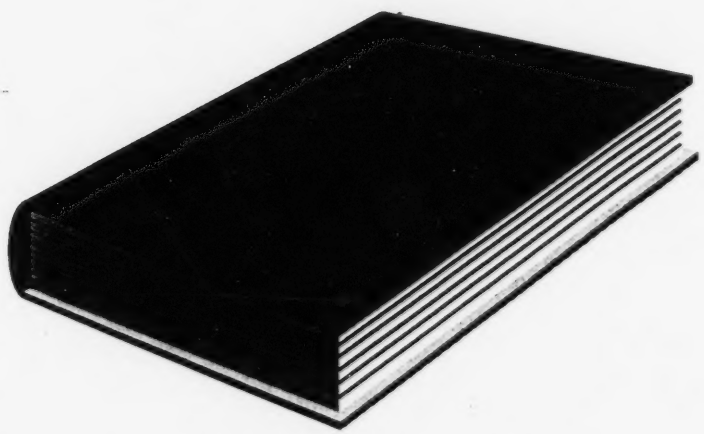
Reference Books and Pamphlets



Publisher McGraw-Hill
Phone 800/338-3987 (Customer Service)
Publication Financial Aids for Higher Education. How to make a systematic search for financial help for the first year of college. ISBN # 0-69724-151-3

Publisher Chronicle Guidance Publications
Address Box 1190; Moravia, New York 13118-1190
Phone 315/497-0330
Publication Financial Aid Guide. A list of student aid opportunities
Cost $22.47 plus 10% shipping and handling. ISBN # 1-55631-269-5
Publication Chronicle Vocational School Manual. Admissions, costs, job training, financial aid, and student services for 4,100 vocational schools
Cost $22.48, plus 10% shipping and handling. ISBN # 1-55631-266-0

Publisher College Board Publications
Address 2 College Way; Forester Center, West Virginia 25438 (warehouse address)
Phone 212/713-8165 (in New York)
Publication Parents' Guide to Paying for College. How to plan ahead for college costs
Cost $14.00, plus shipping and handling. Item # 006046
Publication **Set of three:** College Costs and Financial Aid Handbook, The College Handbook, and Index of Majors
Cost $45.00 per set, plus shipping and handling. Item #239415

Publisher Garrett Park Press
Address PO Box 190; Garrett Park MD 20896
Phone 301/946-2553
Publication Dollars for College—the Quick Guide to Financial Aid. A series of 12 booklets containing information on financial aid programs in a number of fields
Cost $60.00 per set
Publication Financial Aid for Minorities. A series of six booklets containing information on financial aid for minority students in a number of fields
Cost $30.00 per set

Publisher Octameron Associates
Address Box 2748; Alexandria VA 22301
Phone 703/836-5480; *fax* 703/836-5650; *email* info@octameron.com
Web site **www.octameron.com**
Publication The A's and B's of Academic Scholarships
Cost $7.50 plus shipping and handling
Publication College Loans and Grants from Uncle Sam
Cost $6.00 plus shipping and handling

Publisher Oregon Career Information Systems (CIS)
Address 1244 University of Oregon; Eugene OR 97403
Phone 503/346-3872
Publication Oregon Financial Aid Grants, Loans, and Scholarships. A two-volume list of scholarships based on programs of study, talent or interest, academic achievement and leadership, need, personal characteristics, or organizational affiliation

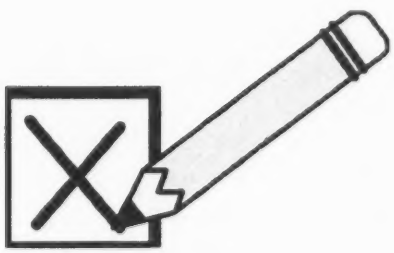
Publisher Peterson's Guides
Address PO Box 2123; Princeton NJ 08543-2123
Phone 800/225-0261
Web site **www.petersons.com**
Publication Various publications

Publisher U.S. Department of Education
Address Federal Student Aid Info Center; PO Box 84; Washington DC 20044-0084
Web site **www.ed.gov**
Publication Student Guide to Financial Aid. Information about federal student financial aid programs and how to apply for them
Cost Free

Publisher Young Enterprises
Address 5937 - 16th Street NW; Washington DC 20011
Phone 202/829-0039
Publication The Higher Education Money Book for Minorities and Women. A directory of scholarships, fellowships, internships, grants, and loans
Cost $25.00, includes shipping and handling. $4.00 more if shipped via UPS

Appendix G

Ford Scholars Special Recommendation



FORD SCHOLARS SPECIAL RECOMMENDATION

Student Name _____ Social Security Number _____

The purpose of this Special Recommendation form is to identify **graduating high school seniors** who have a cumulative grade point average of less than 3.00, but not less than 2.50, who have demonstrated, through other measurements, an ability to succeed at college-level work.

This recommendation may only be completed and signed by a high school counselor at the high school from which the applicant will graduate.

The signed recommendation must be attached to the completed ***OSSC Private Awards Application***. The applicant must also attach to the application all required essays and documentation, including the seventh semester high school transcript, displaying cumulative grade point average and aptitude test scores.

REQUIREMENTS FOR SPECIAL RECOMMENDATION

You may recommend a Ford Scholars applicant if he/she meets ***all*** of the following criteria:

(Check boxes to indicate applicant's eligibility)

☐ 1. The applicant must have a combined SAT score (SAT-Verbal plus SAT-Math) of 900 or a composite ACT score of 21 and a cumulative grade point average of at least 2.50.

☐ 2. The applicant must have demonstrated an improvement in GPA over the course of their high school career.

☐ 3. The applicant must demonstrate, through the transcript, a course of study, which indicates ability to perform college-level work.

A copy of the high school profile (if available) must be attached to this Special Recommendation.

Counselor Comments:

Counselor's Name (Printed) _____ High School Name _____

Counselor's Signature _____ Date _____

Appendix H

Watch Out for Scholarship Scam!

The following advice comes from the Federal Trade Commission.

DON'T GET "SCAMMED" ON YOUR WAY TO COLLEGE!

LOOK FOR SIX SIGNS THAT A SCHOLARSHIP SEARCH MAY BE A SCHOLARSHIP SCAM!

1. **"This scholarship is guaranteed or your money back."** No one can guarantee they will get you a scholarship. Refund guarantees often have conditions or strings attached. Get refund policies in writing—***before*** you pay.

2. **"You can't get this information anywhere else."** There are many free lists of scholarships available. Check with your school or library before you decide to pay for someone to do the work for you.

3. **"May I have your credit card or bank account number to hold this scholarship?"** Do ***not*** give out your credit card or bank account number on the phone without getting information in writing first. It may be a set-up for an unauthorized withdrawal from your account.

4. **"We'll do all the work."** Don't be fooled. There's no way around it—you must apply for scholarships or grants yourself.

5. **"The scholarship will cost some money."** Don't pay anyone who claims to be "holding" a scholarship or grant for you. Free money shouldn't cost a thing.

6. **"You've been selected by a national foundation to receive a scholarship"** -or- **"You're a finalist"** in a contest you never entered. Before you send money to apply for a scholarship, check it out. Make sure the foundation or program is legitimate.

To find out how to spot, stop, and report a scholarship scam, contact:

Federal Trade Commission
PO Box 996
Washington DC 20580

or visit the web site at http://www.ftc.gov

or call the National Fraud Information Center at 1-800-876-7060.

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Welcome to the Official State Website of the Oregon State Scholarship Commission

The Oregon State Scholarship Commission (OSSC) is the state student financial aid agency for Oregon. OSSC administers a variety of State of Oregon, Federal, and privately-funded student financial aid programs for the benefit of Oregonians attending institutions of postsecondary education.

News and Announcements

Oregon Scholarship Application - We will accept applications after January 1st.
Oregon Prepaid College Tuition Program & Ballot Measure 55 - Get the latest information!
Loan Volume Summary Report - Now available
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